

## **Iowa Department of Human Services**

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Dear Child Care Provider,

This letter is in regards to the 12/12/14 compliance check of your Level C, Registered Child Development Home. Iowa Code Chapter 237A and 441 Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, describes specific requirements that must be met by a Registered Child Development Home. The following areas were out of compliance at the time of my visit:

☐110.5(1)a Numbers for each child's parent, physician, and a responsible person are accessible by the phone.  Need to post so visible.
☐110.5(1)j The plans shall clearly map building evacuation routes in case of fire, a safe place indoors in case of tornado, and flood shelter areas. Update flood/natural disaster.
☐110.5(1)o Nonsmoking signs posted at every entrance of the home and in every vehicle used to transport children. Signs include telephone # for reporting complaints, and <a href="www.iowasmokefreeair.gov">www.iowasmokefreeair.gov</a> . Need at second exit and vehicle when transporting.
☐110.5(2)b Two hours of approved child abuse and neglect mandatory reporter training (and every 5 years thereafter.) Kim due 2017. Chelsea expired.
☐110.5(8)d For infants and preschoolers: An admission physical examination, on the first day of attendance, including past health history, status of present health, allergies and restrictive conditions, and recommendations for continued care when necessary. The date of the exam is not more than 12 months before the child's first day of attendance.  One
110.5(8)g A signed and dated immunization certificate provided by the state department of public health. <i>One</i>

☐110.5(8)i Written permission from the parent(s) for their child to attend activities away from the child development home. It must include times of arrival and departure, destination, and person(s) responsible for the child.  Twelve
Non-compliance with any of the mandated regulatory requirements listed above may lead to the cancellation or revocation of your Child Development Home Registration.  Please take whatever steps are necessary to completely address each of the
violations noted above. It is essential you correct all above-mentioned violations
within the next 45 days.
⊠Based on the items out of compliance listed above, you will be required to have a recheck or follow up visit to your home. This visit will occur after the 45 day time period has elapsed.
Please do not hesitate to contact me at DHS at 641-421-1219 if you have any questions regarding this letter.
Sincerely,
Amanda Nash Social Worker II

## Always Remember:

Child Care Resource and Referral is an excellent resource for providers to access training options and support in your area. You can reach Child Care Resource and Referral at 641-394-4854.

As you plan your future trainings to meet your 24 hours of training requirement, please remember that you need to use only DHS approved training and only 12 hours can be by self-study. You can access the approved training by going to <a href="http://dhs.iowa.gov/sites/default/files/CC">http://dhs.iowa.gov/sites/default/files/CC</a> Professional Development.pdf and you can sign up for training at <a href="http://ccmis.dhs.state.ia.us/trainingregistry/">http://ccmis.dhs.state.ia.us/trainingregistry/</a>

All providers need to maintain compliance with rules set out in Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, which includes: 441 IAC 110.5(1): Check with the appropriate authorities to determine how the following local, state, or federal laws apply to you: • Zoning code • Building code • Fire code • Business license • State and federal income tax • Unemployment insurance • Worker's Compensation • Minimum wage and hour requirements • OSHA • Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).